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TITLE OF INVENTION BONE MORPHOGENETIC PROTEIN (BMP) 2A AND USES THEREOF		
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US Elena Feinstein; Igor Mett; Svetlana Gorodin; and Michael Shtutman		
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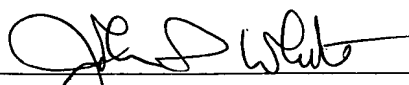
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